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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: L. Wong
DRON et al)
: Group Art Unit: 1761
Application No.: 09/784,970)
: Filed: February 16, 2001) October 31, 2001
: For: Process for Making Granulated N-)
[N-(3,3-dimethylbutyl-1-alpha-Aspartyl)-L- :
Phenylalanine Methyl Ester

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TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION, POWER OF ATTORNEY AND
REVOCATION OF PREVIOUS POWER OF ATTORNEY

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in connection with the above-referenced application:

- Revocation of Previous Power of Attorney
- New Power of Attorney to the undersigned
- Response to Official Action of July 5, 2001

Please deduct the \$110.00 extension fee, and any other necessary fees from Deposit Account 14-1451.

Respectfully submitted,

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